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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Schreck, et al.)
Serial No: 10/056,295) Art Unit
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For: ASYMMETRIC DISK SURFACE PROPERTIES)
IN ONE HEAD DISK DRIVES)
Examiner: Klimowicz, William J.)
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

This Amendment and Response is to the Office Action dated May 8, 2006 having a shortened statutory period for response expiring on August 8, 2006. The Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond, which has been requested and paid for. Please amend the above-captioned patent application as provided below.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this the 8th day of September, 2006.

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